

Employer Firms, Establishments, Employment, and Annual Payroll for Small Firm Size Classes, 1999

Employment size of firm	Firms	Establishments	Employment	Annual Payroll (\$1,000)
Total	5,607,743	7,008,444	110,705,661	3,554,692,909
0 *	709,074	711,990	-	34,264,682
1-4	2,680,087	2,685,788	5,606,302	143,112,925
5-9	1,012,954	1,027,212	6,652,370	166,598,812
10-14	399,908	419,173	4,678,004	123,817,696
15-19	205,785	223,933	3,451,611	93,753,309
20-24	126,755	144,600	2,765,516	76,473,835
25-29	84,622	99,923	2,271,298	63,140,187
30-34	61,165	75,671	1,948,409	54,597,197
35-39	45,651	59,151	1,683,445	47,881,443
40-44	35,340	47,867	1,480,446	42,139,272
45-49	28,189	39,662	1,322,076	38,017,794
50-54	22,621	33,413	1,174,455	33,704,931
55-59	18,258	27,901	1,038,818	29,940,990
60-64	15,445	24,645	956,188	27,828,884
65-69	13,383	22,327	895,583	26,517,534
70-74	11,320	19,695	814,201	23,983,327
75-79	9,869	17,890	759,219	22,534,104
80-84	8,620	16,300	706,221	21,214,062
85-89	7,683	15,063	667,976	20,257,937
90-94	6,751	13,487	620,674	18,616,781
95-99	6,176	13,227	598,637	18,126,347
100-499	81,347	309,211	15,637,643	474,607,339
500-999	8,235	101,268	5,662,057	181,765,746
1,000-1,499	2,756	57,193	3,356,793	110,844,730
1,500-2,499	2,236	70,753	4,272,562	143,370,437
2,500+	3,513	731,101	41,685,157	1,517,582,608
<20	5,007,808	5,068,096	20,388,287	561,547,424
<50	5,389,530	5,534,970	31,859,477	883,797,152
<100	5,509,656	5,738,918	40,091,449	1,126,522,049
<500	5,591,003	6,048,129	55,729,092	1,601,129,388

* Employment is measured in March, thus some firms (start-ups after March, closures before March, and seasonal firms) will have zero employment and some annual payroll.

Source: Office of Advocacy, U.S. Small Business Administration, based on data provided by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census, Statistics of U.S. Businesses.